

KLOVE has been with me for the last 10 years. I once lived in Phoenix AZ and listened to them daily. I then moved to Colorado and found that I could pick up the station and felt comforted that even though I was far away from family, they were listening to the same station. Recently, I moved with my husband back to his home town in Ohio and we immediately looked online to find the KLOVE station for our radios. There is a familiarity and comfort that gives me peace knowing that we are able to listen to the same station, we know the dj's and feel connected to friends and family that we have left behind physically, yet feel as if they are right next door.

I am always amazed that so many people "stumble" upon the KLOVE stations and are moved by the encouragement, the positive music, and the uplifting stories and scriptures. If KLOVE was removed from our local area, any local area, what would happen to those who turn to it in time of crisis? People who know they need more than what the secular stations offer, people who NEED to know that their lives have a purpose and that we were meant to live for so much more than what our circumstances show. KLOVE may not touch every person in Mansfield, but it has touched many who's spirits needed edification and a burdened heart lightened. The absence of KLOVE would leave a void in our area, it must stay on the air.

Every community needs stations like KLOVE. There is, and always will be a need. The United States is a country of freedom. This freedom allows a person in the despairs of life, loss, and shame to hear that they are loved, they are unique and that they serve a purpose in this world. Most stations just play music. KLOVE not only plays music that is clean and edifying, they also have segments of encouraging words and topics of advice and principles to live a life of peace and joy.

Please don't take this away from any community.